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The new issues are the recitation of claims 1 and 10 "displaying a plurality of *movable* graphical pointers...*wherein, if selected each of said plurality of graphical pointers is capable of selecting a point with said display device*"; "*moving* said one graphical pointer in response to manipulation of said single graphical pointer device"; "instruction code for casing said data processing system to move said one graphical pointer in response to manipulation of said single graphical pointing device".,

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